

SCENE 24. INT. RECEPTION STUDIO CORRIDOR

FX: IANTO WALKING AWAY

MISHKA:

Ianto, where are you going?

IANTO:

To find my friends.

MISHKA:

You're leaving me? C'mon!

IANTO:

What's your plan? Stay there?

MISHKA:

I don't know.

IANTO:

My friends. You led them into that studio - you could have told them what was in there. Those two - in different ways - they help people.

MISHKA:

Really?

IANTO:

Really. And now I have to help them.

MISHKA:

Ianto?

FX: HIS FOOTSTEPS FADE AWAY

MISHKA:

Ianto!

FX: SHE KICKS THE DOOR. ECHOES AND GHOSTLY NOISES SURGE UP.

MISHKA:

Still cross with me.

DEVIN:

Yes. He is. He's cross with you.

MISHKA:

Dad. No. Oh no.

SCENE 25. INT. STUDIO CORRIDOR

FX: IANTO WALKING/FEELING HIS WAY TOWARDS US. VERY FAINT AND SLOW, THE SOUNDS OF A REEL TO REEL TAPE. ECHOES SWITCH ON AND OFF. SOME FOOTSTEPS PLAY BACKWARDS.

IANTO:

This place really is vast. Hello? Hello!

ECHO:

Hello. Hello.

IANTO:

(PAUSE) Hum. Not the cleverest thing to do when you're being hunted.

JACK:

No. Not the cleverest thing.

IANTO:

Jack!

JACK:

Ianto.

IANTO:

I'm so glad - he's not with you?

JACK:

No one's with me.

IANTO:

Okay. Can I say something, about the Doctor? He scares me.

JACK:

He scares me too.

IANTO:

All the time I've known you, will know you, you'll have one eye over my shoulder in case he turns up. I'll never be quite good enough because I'm not the Doctor.

JACK:

You really think that?

IANTO:

Could be worse. Could be losing you to a pumped up Valley Boy called Chet. That would kill me. But the Doctor, that'd break my heart.

JACK:

It'd break my heart.